GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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USE OF LPG IN TRANSPORT SECTOR
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are considering to use LPG in transport sector despite its shortage in fuel in domestic sector; and

(b) if so, the reasons for taking such a decision?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MI OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) & (b) LPG being a clean and environment friendly fuel, decision has been taken to introduce LPG as an auto fuel.The use of LPG as auto fuel has been permitted only out of imported LPG (including import substitution) and is not likely to affect the requirement of domestic LPG.